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FOR AMBASSADOR FROM ATHERTON

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OREP (STONE, RICHARD)

SUBJECT: CODEL STONE

REFERENCE: CAIRO 8643

1. BRIAN ATWOOD, DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY IN CONGRES-  
SIONAL RELATIONS TELEPHONED SENATOR STONE TODAY (MAY 24)  
TO REPORT TO HIM THREE ALTERNATIVES FAHMY HAD PRESENTED  
TO YOU (PARA 4, REFTEL) DURING YOUR LAST TALK WITH FAHMY,  
MAY 22, ABOUT SENATOR STONE'S POSSIBLE VISIT TO EGYPT.  
SENATOR STONE HAS DECIDED THAT HIS OWN SCHEDULE, AS WELL  
AS THAT OF HIS WIFE AND TWO STAFFERS, SIMPLY DOES NOT  
PROVIDE ENOUGH TIME TO VISIT EGYPT ON THIS TRIP.

2. WE ARE ALL GRATEFUL TO YOU FOR THE SPECIAL EFFORT YOU  
PERSONALLY MADE TO TRY TO ACCOMMODATE CODEL STONE. WE  
RECOGNIZE THAT IT IS A DIFFICULT CHORE TO BE ASKED TO TRY  
TO GET THE EGYPTIAN OR ANY OTHER GOVERNMENT, ON RELATIVELY  
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SHORT NOTICE, TO GRANT AN EXCEPTION TO A LONG STANDING  
POLICY. I DO NOT KNOW HOW ANYONE COULD HAVE DONE MORE  
THAN YOU DID TO GET THAT EXCEPTION AND I WANT YOU TO KNOW  
WE ALL APPRECIATE THE EFFORT YOU MADE. VANCE

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